

'COMERS' FOR '19 DEBATING TEAMS PICKED AT H. S.

Neass, Barker And Miss
Huntsberger Chosen
Leaders

ELEANOR HOBBS ONLY
VETERAN NEXT YEAR

Cunliffe Ill Two Weeks Prev-
ious; Judges Laud
Miss Sweeney

The tenth annual triangular debate has passed into an event that will be regarded as history when the next class of Freshmen enters Mt. Vernon high school, but it will probably linger long in the minds of those who participated, whether on the losing affirmative or the winning negative.

With the close of the present school year, seven of the eight debaters will graduate from the high school, leaving only Miss Eleanor Hobbs as a nucleus around which two more teams must be formed for the contest next year. However, the outlook is far from discouraging.

Forty pupils tried out this year to make the debate teams, and it necessitated the selection of 19 from which to choose the best eight debaters. Most of the number which tried out last year were Juniors, only a few Seniors sprinkled among them.

Among the Juniors who tried out when the 1918 teams were being picked were at least eight who, according to debating authorities at the high school, will make two of the best teams the high school has ever had, detracting nothing from the credit due both of the teams this year. The most noticeable "comers" were probably Myron Neass and Reed Barker, beaten only by Seniors who had a little more confidence on the floor, Miss Helen Huntsberger, according to the faculty and 1918 debaters, is one of the good prospects for a place on one of the 1919 teams.

Following this year's debate, at the annual banquet held at Turner's restaurant, the judges expressed great appreciation of Miss Claire Sweeney's work on the platform and the Newark coach lauded her own above members of his own team. One of the judges took upon himself to remark that Miss Sweeney was the best debater he had ever seen competing in a high school or college debate.

A great deal of the credit for the local decision for the home team is due, probably, to Coach Cunliffe, who worked untiringly for the squad. During the past two weeks, Mr. Cunliffe has been ill in bed, but the work was carried on by Miss Ila B. Williams and Eugene Roseboom, the other two members of the debate committee. Both gave up classes that they might aid the debaters, but the result obtained justified it, for the local victory was the only unanimous decision this year.

The debate recalls, as everyone invariably does, to old debaters the annual debate banquet held a few weeks after the contest at which former high school debaters gather as members of the Mt. Vernon High School Debating society, but so far this year no plans have been laid for it. Announcement of plans concerning this event will come later.

ONLY INDIAN SAILOR IN NAVY IN EUROPE MARRIED IN ENGLAND

BASE AMERICAN FLOTILLA IN BRITISH WATERS, Jan. 28—(Correspondence)—The only full-blooded American Indian in the United States naval forces over here has just been married. He is Frank M. Puryear, seaman, gunner's class, and hails from Villanow, Georgia. While his destroyer was visiting at an English port he met Dorothy Hapton of Newport, England. Their marriage was not long. Puryear is a Cherokee Indian and a direct descendant from the tribe which formerly roamed those southern plains east of the Mississippi. As such he still has a claim to participate in the funds arising from payments made by the United States government to the Cherokees for lands invaded by the white man. Puryear holds a deed to certain property rights as a member of the Cherokees.

Lanning Funeral

FREDERICKTOWN, March 12—The funeral of Sylvester H. Lanning, 72, who died at his home near Chesterville at noon yesterday, at 2 p. m. tomorrow at the Chesterville M. E. church, Rev. Green officiating. Burial in Maple Grove cemetery. Mr. Lanning leaves his wife, one son, Budd, who resides in St. Louis, Mo., and a daughter, Mrs. Nannie Stump, whose home is near Sparta.

FRANK WELSH DIES

Frank Welsh, aged 43 years, died at 2:30 p. m. Monday after an illness lasting nearly five months. He was a resident of Monroe township. He leaves his wife and one daughter, Julia.

COUNCIL ASKED TO GIVE REBATE ON ASSESSMENT

Sheedy Says Property Is Taxed Too Heavily For Paving
Coshocton Avenue

COMMITTEE INVITED TO
MAKE TRIP TO NEWARK

Street Flusher Demonstration
To Be Made; Mayer After
Ordinance Comm.

The city council received a communication from John Sheedy Monday night, which was read by City Auditor Gates, asking for a rebate on the assessments made against the property belonging to the writer and Charles and Michael Sheedy for the improvement of Coshocton avenue.

Sheedy said in his letter that the property is on the tax duplicate for \$3,000 and that the assessment against it is \$1,194. He says that for two years they have been paying the assessment under the protest and asks if council cannot do something to relieve the situation without forcing them to take the matter into court. The letter was received and placed on file.

Practically all the business transacted by the council Monday night consisted of the reading of the above communication. A representative of the Studebaker corporation who recently visited the council with a view to selling a street flushing apparatus, attended the meeting and announced that he had made arrangements with the city of Newark to give a demonstration of the flusher in use there Tuesday afternoon and asked that the committee appointed at the former meeting accompany him to Newark to see the machine work.

Councilman Mayer again prodded the ordinance committee with a request that it get busy and introduce the licensing ordinance that has been hanging fire for some time. "We have passed ordinances to increase salaries and otherwise spend money," said Mr. Mayer, "and that it is about time we take action in this matter to increase the revenue. Every day that this ordinance is held up means a loss of from two to three dollars that the city might have had."

SERGT. HAWK ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Sergeant Walter Hawk of Camp Sherman, who had his left arm severed below the elbow in a railroad accident, left the M. & S. hospital Tuesday to return to his home on the Mansfield road. Hawk's condition is encouraging, according to the nurse who attended him.

WELSH FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Frank Welsh who died at his home in Monroe township at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Valley church. Burial in the Valley church cemetery.

BIEFNES FUNERAL

The funeral of Philip Biefnes at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the late home.

Y DIRECTORS HOLD SHORT MEETING AT BUILDING MONDAY

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held Monday night. Supper was served at 5:30 o'clock. General bills and orders for payments were considered and routine business matters were taken up.

JURORS ACQUIT ROY MAPES AND JOSEPH HOWELL

Few Minutes' Deliberation
Results In Verdict Of Not
Guilty Of Larceny

PETIT JURY RELEASED
FROM FURTHER SERVICE

February Term Will Open On
April 15; Court
House News

Roy Mapes and Joseph Howell, charged with petit larceny in connection with the alleged theft of copper wire and other fixtures from the Mt. Vernon Street Railway Co., were acquitted by the jury in the common pleas court Monday afternoon. The jurors deliberated only a few minutes before returning their verdict of not guilty. The two men were defended by Barton W. Blair.

Jury Discharged—Following the case of the State of Ohio against Mapes and Howell, the petit jury was discharged by the court, all jury work in this term having been completed. The next term of court opens on April 15.

Sale Ordered—In the matter of the suit of Mary Henry against U. A. Taylor, an entry has been filed in the common pleas court showing that the report of the commissioners appointed has been received and confirmed and the sale of the property involved ordered sold.

Entry Filed—Entry has been filed in the common pleas court showing that a writ of garnishment has been issued against the First National bank in the matter of the suit of H. C. Johnson and others against Marion Hathaway and others.

Sale Ordered—Sale of the property involved in the suit of Louis S. Cullison against Celestia Snyder and others has been ordered by the common pleas court, according to an entry filed in the common pleas court Tuesday.

Administrator Appointed—James A. Schaeffer has been appointed administrator of the estate of Stephen Hood by the probate court. Bond was given in the sum of \$8,000 with Minnie Schaeffer and Sarah Welsh as sureties. R. L. Carr, W. A. Hosack and F. M. Cochran were appointed appraisers.

Adjudged Insane—Mary E. Bennett was adjudged insane by the probate court Monday and ordered committed to the state hospital in Columbus.

The affidavit in lunacy was filed against the woman by her father, Riley Moore. Drs. H. W. Blair and I. S. Workman performed the medical examination. The unfortunate woman was taken to the state hospital Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Burr H. Lytle.

Executrix Appointed—Isora Workman of Danville has been appointed executrix of the will of A. J. Workman by the probate court, giving bond in the sum of \$2,000 with George Shaw and William Church as sureties. R. L. Carr, Joseph Blubaugh and I. E. Mackey were appointed appraisers.

Marriage License—Earl Kenneth Hutchinson, rubber worker, Akron, and Mabel Ruth Hays, milliner, Mt. Vernon. Rev. J. A. Long.

Deeds Filed—James Miller to Francis M. Bally, parcel in Howard, \$1,600.
E. O. Arnold to John Crider, city property, \$1.
Rachel I. Smith to Edward H. Snyder, 5 acres in Howard, \$450.
Martin W. Durbin to John H. Treese, 63.50 acres in Clinton, \$1.
Mary E. Montis to Agnes Vaughn, city property, \$1.

CITY OFFICIALS SEE STREET FLUSHER IN OPERATION IN NEWARK

Service Director Faddis, Safety Director Appleton and Councilman Cassil, chairman of the street committee, went to Newark Tuesday to see a demonstration of the street flusher purchased by that city. The question of purchasing a machine of a like nature is before the local city council.

Don't Let Catarrh Drag You into Consumption

Avoid Its Dangerous Stage. There is a more serious stage of Catarrh than the annoyance caused by the stopped-up air passages, and the hawking and spitting and other distasteful features. The real danger comes from the tendency of the disease to continue its course downward until the lungs become affected, and then dreaded consumption is on your path. Your own experience has taught you that the disease cannot be cured by sprays, inhalers, atomizers, jellies and other local applications. S. S. S. has proven a most satisfactory remedy for Catarrh because it goes direct to its source, and removes the germs of the disease from the blood. Get a bottle from your druggist today, and begin the only logical treatment that gives real results. You can obtain special medical advice without charge by writing to Medical Director, 27 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Win the War By Preparing the Land Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the U. S. and Canada—Co-Operative Farming in Man Power Necessary to Win the Battle for Liberty The Food Controllers of United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat can be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rest the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand must Assist.

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operations.

Canada's Wheat Production last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the demand from Canada alone, for 1918, is 400,000,000 Bushels.

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there. Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, \$50 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board, and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return. For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had, apply to

U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, Dept. of Labor

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- 1—For loyalty's sake. The Hoosier System protects your flour, sugar and other foods. It prevents waste in measuring and mixing. And it gives you more time for knitting Red Cross work and other patriotic service. Also for rest.
- 2—We are now offering popular models at before-war prices. Moreover you can pay as convenient. Your money all back if you are not delighted.
- 3—Hoosier's Council of Kitchen Scientists pronounce the new model as complete as can be made. And remember these brilliant women of the Hoosier staff are always in touch with home needs.
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